

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : SEMMLINGER et al.
Serial No : 10/595,791
Filed : May 11, 2006
For : FRICTION WELDING...
Art Unit : 1793
Examiner : Devang R. Patel
Dated : January 13, 2009

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a)

Sir:

The Office Action dated August 13, 2008 provided for a shortened statutory period for response of three months.

The shortened statutory period expires November 13, 2008.

Since the attached response is being filed within the second month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) we attach the appropriate petition fee of \$360.00. The difference between the second month fee \$490.00 and the first month fee is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted
for Applicant(s)



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SHOULD ANY OTHER FEE BE REQUIRED, THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IS
HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-0410.